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FM AMEMBASSY KINGSTON

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TAGS: PDIP

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT ON MATALON

IF ASKED ABOUT THE BOMB INCIDENT INVOLVING MINISTER
OF NATIONAL SECURITY AND JUSTICE MATALON, WE PROPOSE
TO GIVE THE FOLLOWING RESPONSE:

" AMBASSADOR GERARD HAS EXPRESSED HIS PROFOUND REGRETS
TO THE PRIME MINISTER OVER THE SHOCKING BOMB ATTEMPT
ON THE LIFE OF MINISTER OF NATIONAL SECURITY AND
JUSTICE ELI MATALON IN MIAMI ON AUGUST 15. MR. MATALON
WAS IMMEDIATELY PROVIDED WITH SECURITY PROTECTION BY
AGENCIES OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, AND A FULL INVESTIGA-
TION IS IN PROGRESS. WE ARE RELIEVED THAT MR. MATALON
ESCAPED INJURY." GERARD

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Message Attributes

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Decaption Note:
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